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PRICE FIVE CENTS

19 FRENCH KILLED IN WRECKS; GERMANS BLAMED

SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Facetions and Otherwise. By "S. S."

The red puzzle is... Many this morning.

Ten more days in February.

Everybody's bollering cat's-ropes on old weather.

Mayor Logan and family went down to Nawth End yesterday.

Week by week in waterways Port Arthur grows richer and richer for the property owners.

Ships that pass in the night are the bootleggers' delight, says Deputy Sheriff Poote.

H. J. May left the hospital for home this afternoon, having recovered from a recent operation.

"Concrete will probably be poured in Austin avenue between Sixth and Seventh streets late today"—M. C. Lewis, city engineer.

"No danger of Port Arthur and the tideline district losing that \$500,000 waterway appropriation."—G. N. Miles.

The world was looking so bright or Scout Executive Eddy this morning that he had to put on colored glasses.

Commissioner Wade stirred from Sunday bath yesterday when called to ear a committee of structural workers make protest.

A cold wave without rain and clouds is not so bad, members of the Austin-Proctor corner club agreed.

Commissioner Poote putting in regular day at city hall now helping City Clerk Miles read proof on federal addition ordinance.

Those fellows who used to sit around and laugh at Arthur Silsby have sons who say there's nothing to the Atlantic refinery deal.

"This is concrete evidence that the city's paving program is underway," said City Father Wade today, waving at pouring operations on Fort Worth avenue.

The sun shone out so bright today.

The birds began to sing: An' everywhere Port Arthur.

Was a lookin' more like Spring.

Coffee Club Ballads.

Port Arthur's going to be included in the latest history of Texas, according to a representative of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, who called on the mayor. The history will be in five volumes and known as "Worth's History of Texas."

The official family has started the picnic season early. E. H. Miles and daughter, Miss Ruby Hayes and Commissioner A. A. Poote and family motored to Port Neches Sunday and had dinner on the ground. Fine weather for picnicing," says Mrs. Miles.

SIGHTS S. S. SEES—Negro janitor of Corner Drug store goes into mobbed to get armload of wood, somebody comes along slams door, locking it. Negro sets up pitiful wail, attracting half a hundred Sunday visitors until somebody produces a key and lets him out.

Harmonic strains filled the air in the 1200 block on Lake Shore drive yesterday afternoon when the third meeting of a flock of songbirds resulted in the organization of "The City Quintet." The quintet includes G. E. Perry, first tenor, "Bill" Huber, second soprano, Paul Bushong, alto, Neal Rader and Ralph Merchant, bass. The name, they say, is after Port Arthur: "Gateway to the World."

LICE HEADQUARTERS SCENE SINISTER: Takes out gun; gun looks into barrel, CHIEF: Gimme that rod, Lauer.

ENTER: Bee Cowen, Bee takes gun; looks at it, COWEN: Lemme see that oil, ladies.

COWEN: "8 funny how one man'll aim his gun and start the whole race to do it, ain't it?"

FAIR; WARMER LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight and tomorrow generally fair; warmer to 60°. Next Texas: Tonight generally fair; warmer in south and extreme east sections. Tuesday generally fair; warmer, colder in northwest and north-central portions. Weatherman's Coast: Light to moderate. Maximum temperature, 58°; minimum temperature, 40°; precipitation, 0.02". For Ago Today: Maximum temperature, 58°; minimum 60°. Weatherman's Record: None of high and low water at Galveston on Tuesday, Feb. 20, taken from tables prepared by the U. S. Weather Bureau.

In trees, 6:47 a.m., 6:50 p.m.

HOME LABOR FOR BRIDGE PLEDGED

Council Probes Claim of Importations

A CHARTER PROVISION

Contractor's Representative Seeks Another Hearing

Home-town labor is going to be used in the construction of the pleasure pier bridge, the city commission decided this morning.

Following a protest made by labor leaders Sunday, a meeting of the commission was called at 9 o'clock this morning to investigate a claim that the contractors had brought out-of-town men to Port Arthur.

It seems that four men accompanied Martin Rasmus, superintendent for Duluth and Williams, to the city from New Orleans. Two of the men are non-union and two are union men. Provided by Charter.

When the meeting was called to order, Commissioner Poote explained that the amended charter provides that home labor be used and he also thought the contract called for the same conditions.

"I felt, Mr. Mayor, that if you and Wade would stay with me and not desert me like you did on that 30-cent proposition, we could get rid of the out-of-town men and give the work to local men," Poote said.

Rasmus admitted that he had brought four men along with him.

Mayor Logan said so far as he was concerned he was opposed to giving the work to outsiders, especially as long as the contract and the charter provided for such. He said, however, that he believed the contractors were unfamiliar with the law and had made no attempt to go into this phase of the job here.

Wade insisted as well.

Rasmus asked the commission to take no step until another representative of the contracting firm had been heard. This was agreed to. However, Logan said the city would maintain its view and hear the other representative at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

T. R. Palmer represented the structural workers at the commission meeting. Sam Nicks was also present and was heard.

Work on the bridge will begin either Tuesday or Wednesday, it was announced at the meeting.

Approximately 25 structural workers will be used on the job, according to Rasmus, although only four men had been employed at the start of work. It is estimated that it will take three weeks to repair the bridge.

BOOZE RAID IS 11 HOURS LONG

Chief Word and Two Work Overtime With Others III

Chief Word last night started a liquor raid at 5 o'clock that continued until 4 o'clock this morning.

Short four men who are confined to their homes with illness, the chief went out with Detectives L. Sizemore and Harvey Myers, developing six cases and visiting eight other places.

In many instances the officers "double-barked" in an effort to clean up the work.

A gallon of liquor was found in a sewing machine and a small quantity was detected hidden in a window sill of another place while a woman had deposited a small amount behind a door panel.

A gallon of booze was destroyed when a man running with it came upon Chief Word as he was fleeing from the police.

One woman made bond of \$500 and her case was turned over to the grand jury investigation. Bonds for others were set at \$500.

The chief put on a khaki suit and went forth late Sunday to "make a night of it." He says the work became so warm that he shed his overcoat.

The four men who have been off-duty for the past few days are Detective Bee Cowen, Traffic Officer Washburn, Deser Sergeant Wiley and Patrolman L. L. Turner.

Scout Troops to Have Chance at Silver Cup

A silver loving cup from the men teachers in the Port Arthur schools to the Boy Scout troupe having the highest scholastic average for the first term of the 1922-23 session will be awarded Troop 6, at the next Court of Honor held here, it was announced today by Scout officials.

Scout James Ballinger, of Troop 6, will be presented with a medal at the Court of Honor for having the highest individual scholastic average for the first half of the current

Mardi Gras Queen



LABOR LEADER KILLED IN FEUD

Steve Kelleher Shot by Dan McCarthy in Chicago

24TH "WAR" VICTIM

Woman Bystander is Hurt When Cafe Party Breaks

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Steve Kelleher, prominent Chicago labor leader, was killed by Daniel McCarthy, another labor leader, in a spectacular gunbattle in a crowded cafe here early today. Mrs. Thomas Golden, an innocent bystander, was wounded in the shoulder.

McCarthy fled but was later captured and taken to headquarters where he is alleged to have confessed.

The shooting was the result of dissension in the ranks of the Chicago building trades council, police believe.

34TH Victim in 10 Year

Kelleher was the twenty-fourth victim in 10 years in Chicago during the past ten years, police records show.

More than 200 men and women, including many society slummers, were in Al Teatrae's cafe, a famous South Side resort, when the duel to death was fought.

The battle was an outgrowth of the feud between "Big Tim" Murphy and the Morel freight gage for control of Chicago's labor unions. McCarthy was slain three years ago.

Thomas Kearney, once president of the Chicago building trades council, was seated at a table near the dance when he was shot at 11:30 p.m. Saturday.

Further confirmation that the Atlantic Refining company contemplates the construction of a huge plant here was given by Edwin Hunter officially representing "eastern interests."

McCarthy, a former protege of Thomas Kearney, once president of the Chicago building trades council, was seated at a table near the dance when he was shot at 11:30 p.m. Saturday.

Hunter appeared before the court to have a certain road vacated near the Crosby-Tyrell tract that he is purchasing.

Tentative Agreement

Captain Tyrell conferred with Hunter, and himself asked that the road he dedicated some years ago, which crossed the property to be taken over by Mr. Hunter, be vacated. It was tentatively agreed that Captain Tyrell will donate a 40-foot roadway following the Kansas City right of way between the Port Arthur and Orange road and the County Club road.

While the four corners of the note were cleverly worked over, the spread-eagle design in the middle of the bill with the words "One Dollar" were clearly visible and no attempt had been made to tamper with this part of the certificate.

The bill has so far been traced from a rooming house to Hart Drug store, from there it was taken by a negro to the Hub Clothing store where Klein received it.

Chief Word, who has turned the case over to Chief of Detectives Parsley, says that raising the bill was one of the smoothest jobs that he had ever seen.

E. SONNIER FUNERAL TO BE AT BEAUMONT

Funeral services for E. Sonnier, 45, of 637 Twelfth street, who died Friday night at Mary Gates hospital, will be conducted this afternoon at 3 o'clock from St. Anthony's Catholic church, Beaumont, Rev. A. J. Kelly officiating. Burial will be made in Magnolia cemetery, under the direction of J. E. Grammer, undertaker.

Sonnier operated a grocery store near his home on Twelfth street and resided in Port Arthur a number of years. He is survived by his widow, four sons and two daughters.

BOY ESCAPES

Mitchell Miller, On Bike, Hit By Automobile

A bicycle and a Ford roadster collided this morning at the intersection of Waco Avenue and Proctor street.

Mitchell was riding the bicycle at the time of the accident, which apparently was unavoidable.

As the lad rode west on Waco avenue toward Proctor the Ford swerved around the corner and crashed into it in an effort to avoid hitting another car.

Mitchell was thrown to the ground, but arose to dust himself off and announced that he was unharmed. The accident attracted a large crowd of people to the street, who assisted the boy to the sidewalk.

The front wheel of his bicycle was badly bent as a result of the impact.

2 DIE ON INHALING ILLUMINATING GAS

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 19.—Two persons are dead and seven others are in the Pittston Hospital today suffering from the effects of illuminating gas which traveled along water pipes from a broken gas main to their home on Market Street here.

ENGINE CREW KILLED

BRIDGEPORT, Ohio, Feb. 19.—F. S. Duckworth, engineer, was crushed to death and G. E. Hazen, fireman, died of scalps when a Baltimore and Ohio freight plunged from a bridge into Stillwater creek near Freeport, shortly after noon today.

The prosecution planned to close its case today.

Cleveland Man Called to His Door and Shot

4 NEGROES DIE IN FIRE

NYC, Feb. 19.—Four negroes burned to death and another severely injured by smoke when fire started from an overturned lamp swept through a four-story apartment house in Fleet place, Brooklyn, early today.

STEWART TRIAL RESUMES

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 19.—The trial of W. E. Stewart, organizer of the W. E. Stewart Land Company, accused of using the mails to defraud, was resumed here today.

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Movies Made by and for Dumb-bells Says Kyne Singing Swan Song

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 19.—Motion pictures are built by dumbbells to appeal to dumbbells," Peter B. Kyne, author, declared today in a farewell bombardment.

"I am leaving the fourth largest industry in the United States to face its fate without any regrets," said the creator of *Cappy Ricks*.

"It is stupid to talk about ideals in the movies. Movies don't know an ideal when they see one. It is also immoral to call motion pictures an art—they are a cannery."

"The present pictures are built by dumbbells, to appeal to dumbbells. The actors are dumb, the directors are dumb, the big second-hand cloth-

boy, then the stenographer, then the editor who recently graduated from some paper as a cub reporter; the director, the star, and they have them shipped back to New York for appraisal."

"In a recent experience in disposing of six of my pictures, five contracts were broken and one lawsuit is pending."

"Once I suggested he might be able to write his own titles for my stories and the studios thought I was looking for a job. I'm not. So far as the pictures are concerned, I don't want their money. I don't need it. It comes from a tainted canning in-

house."

"I see no future for motion pictures until we get down to the hokum. The public wants better pictures."

"Those who control the movies do not want clean, honest films, but want their stories on the theory of shocking the nervous systems, rather than appealing to the heart, with a laugh here and there and a vagrant tear."

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WEST WATER PIPE LINE LAID

Cast Iron Pipe Being Put Down



By NEA Service

EDMONTON, Alberta, Feb. 19.—This province, within a few months may see two women strangled to death by an official noose to atone for murders of which they have been convicted.

Only executive clemency now can stay the hand of the hangman reaching forth for the lives of Mrs. Florence Lassandra and Mrs. Irene May Christensen, both imprisoned in Fort Saskatchewan jail under sentence of death.

Mr. Lassandra, found guilty of participation in the slaying of a constable, is scheduled to mount the gallows Feb. 21.

April 4 has been set as the execution date of Mrs. Christensen convicted of shooting her husband to death.

Public Interest Keen

Will executive clemency intervene? That question is on all lips in northern Alberta. People are recalling that only four women have been hanged in the Dominion since its confederation.

In that time 21 women, not including the present two cases, have been found guilty of first degree murder. Executive clemency has brought about commutation of sentence for 17.

The fact that Mrs. Lassandra aid in the killing of an officer of the crown, it is argued, may be a powerful factor against the granting of clemency to her.

She, together with Emilio Picarello, known as the "King of bootleggers," saw Constable Steve O. Lawson at Brummore last fall while Lawson was engaged in his official duty of suppressing illicit liquor traffic.

Mrs. Lassandra and Picarello were found jointly culpable in the slaying but evidence introduced seemed to prove the woman had fired the death shot with her own hand.

Other Case Similar

The case of Mrs. Christensen is more commonplace and Albertans agree her chances for clemency are greater.

She testified at her trial she had shot her husband during a struggle for the possession of a revolver with

Summer School at University Bettered

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 19.—Efforts are being made to make the University Texas summer school of 1923 superior in every respect to any summer session of past years, according to Dr. Frederick Eby, dean of the summer school. Many additional courses will be offered the teachers of the state this summer, and plans are now under way to bring to the university the summer school classes some of the best men and women in educational work.

The demonstration work has been planned to give the teachers of the state an exhibition of the best methods of teaching. The work has been conducted for the last two summers, but will be greatly extended this year. Kindergarten will be one of the innovations, under the direction of Miss Helena Wilson, kindergarten supervisor of Houston. It will be the first opportunity offered by the state for kindergarten teachers of the south-central to learn of the newest developments in the field of work.

Miss Nina Glass of Waco with two assistants will teach methods of primary classes and elementary and summer school work. The principal demonstration school will be A. Gullett of Austin. Considerable attention will be given this year to seventh grade and junior high school methods. The work will offer three credit to the teachers observing and studying it.

There will be more special courses for teachers than has ever been attempted previously by the university, according to Dr. Eby. Special methods courses will be offered in public school music, drawing, reading, health education, rural teaching and manual training. In high school work, courses in English, French, Spanish, Latin, home economics, manual training and other subjects.

CARD OF THANKS

To Our Kind Friends,
We take this occasion and means to thank our many friends, and especially the F. O. E., for their many kindnesses, their help, their loving sympathy and beautiful flowers occasioned by the sad and sudden death of our beloved companion, mother and sister, Mrs. Josie Dickason. May please Heaven in the abundance of God's tender mercy and goodness to remember each of you when the land of death stretches its pall and doom over your homes and lives.
In great sorrow, we are—
C. Dickason, Hennie B. Bolton, Mrs. N. J. Hobert and husband, Mr. Nettie Davis and husband, Mr. C. M. Barnes, a sister.

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WOMEN FACE NOOSE Executive Action Alone Can Save Condemned Pair in Canada

INCENDIARISM ON INCREASE

State Fire Losses Are Showing Rise

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 19.—Incendiary is on the increase in Texas, according to the January report of State Fire Marshal George T. Tilley, on fire losses, and the report also shows that a bad start has been made for the year 1923, with indications that losses will be as heavy as in previous years.

Fifteen cases of incendiary fires were reported to the fire marshal in January, with an aggregate insurance loss of \$23,000. A total of 176 fires were reported with a total loss of \$450,320 and these do not include reports from several of the larger cities and a number of the smaller towns and rural districts.

Fifteen fires of unknown origin were reported, with total insurance loss of \$235,678.

BURGLARS RAID P. O.

YOKUM, Texas, Feb. 19.—Burglars blew open the postoffice safe at Sweet Home near here for the third time in the past two years. They failed to get any money, which was in the lower part of the safe, but took five gold watches, valued at \$150. No arrests have been made.

All this is being reviewed whether people congregate in Abilene. Meanwhile the execution days grow daily nearer and public interest in the condemned pair grows daily tenser.

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Cities Get Credits

On Insurance Rate

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 19.—The Texas state fire insurance commission announced its first fire record credits for the year beginning March 1, with a number of others to follow in the near future. In the first announcements only two of the larger towns are included, Austin and Waco, both receiving the maximum allowance of 15 per cent off the schedule, while 6 per cent was allowed Bay City and Denton. The following towns received 9 per cent credit: Bowie, Cleburne, Madisonville, Mercedes, Palacios.

Towns receiving 12 per cent are as follows: Baird, Burnet, Campbell, Crowell, Nordheim, McAllen. The towns receiving the maximum allowance of 15 per cent are as follows: Austin, Aransas Pass, Aspermont, Atlanta, Alvin, Angleton, Hardwell, Bastrop, Bloomington, Bartlett, Bridgeport, Canyon, Carizzo Springs, Cross Plains, Colorado, Center, Del Rio, Eagle Lake, Eagle Pass, Edgewood, Flatonia, Freerport, Fort Stockton, Groesbeck, Gatesville, Hallettsville, Henrietta, Hutto, Honey Grove, Henderson, Kaufman, Kerville, Kosse, Lexington, Lubbock, Livingston, New Braunfels, Nacogdoches, Orange and Waco.

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EXPERT TO ADDRESS CLUBS

tion of Churches to So-
cial Welfare Theme

tion of the churches to social welfare will be brought before Arthur Holt, business civic and religious organizations in the city today by Dr. Arthur E. Holt, University lecturer, and another of national reputation.

The announcement today of Nicks, official in the Trades Union Council, and Rev. W. L. Culp, pastor of the First Congregational Church and president of the Port Arthur Social Welfare council, to report on the program outline for the speakers during their address.

No addresses Wednesday

meetings have been completed. Holt to address the members of the Lions and Rotary Club joint luncheon-meeting Plaza Hotel at noon Wednesday. Coughlin said and at 8 the speakers will be heard by Arthur Trades and Labor and the Refinery Workers No. 23, in Carpenters Hall, members of all organized labor in Port Arthur are urged to attend meeting. Sam R. Nicks, by Dr. Holt and others who will accompany him, Arthur will be made before ministerial association, Wehner's spring, and before the Social Welfare council, meeting at 6 at the Plaza Hotel, Rev. Coughlin. Not only members of the church but anybody interested in so far work is invited to the meeting at the Plaza, and desiring to attend should call S. Carter, secretary, to make reservations. Rev. Coughlin, This meeting will take the place of their regular monthly meeting he council, he said.

Member Tom of Earone Holt was in Port Arthur in November of 1919; when he spoke before us Club in this city. During summer he traveled extensively Europe, studying industrial conditions, and has been this year at the Y. M. C. A. on the Social Interpretation. The present time, Dr. Holt and lecturers are giving information of the churches to welfare services in communities, urban said today. They are in this work under the auspices of the Federal Council of

Men Chafe at British Restriction

HINGTON, Feb. 19.—Lester Akron, Ohio rubber tyre, today called a conference manufacturers here to see how to combat the crude restrictions recently imposed British government. The conference will be held on February 27 Firestone charged that American manufacturers are being forced to reduce total sales of auto tires every year because of actions enforced by Great Britain.

One tree recently found in forest has a trunk 22 feet in diameter as estimated by experts.

BIGGER BARGAINS! Tuesday at the Help Your Self Store

The store that made a big hit the first day. The store that has succeeded in wiping out the overhead charges that make prices high. Come here and wait on yourself and save the clerk's salary, save the bookkeepers salary. Pay the lowest price with no extras attached. Dry goods, shoes, groceries, furnishings for the entire family.

P & G white
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5c

No. 1 can Tomato-
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**71
2c**

No. 2 tender
sweet Corn, can

9c

15c Lippincott's
reserves, pt. jar

23c

50c Lippincott's
Preserves, qt. jar

Tall "Nile" bread
Salmon, special

33c | 13c

Help Your Self Store

French Soldiers Run German Trains



This shows engineers of the French Army manning a German locomotive after German trainmen in the Ruhr refused to continue working when the French invaded the territory.

LABOR LEADER KILLED IN FEUD

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door with a party of six, Kelleher and his wife entered shortly before midnight.

Wife Starts Ruckus.

"McCarthy, you are a double crosser. Tom Kearney made you and you threw him down."

Mrs. McCarthy took up the challenge and the entire party entered the debate as the pleasure makers gathered around.

Kelleher stepped to the table, took McCarthy's arm and started to lead him away.

"Steve will take care of me," Mrs. Kelleher shouted to McCarthy as he turned his back.

"You bet I will take care of that double crosser," Kelleher yelled, pulling out his revolver and firing two shots wildly. One of them is believed to have struck Mrs. Golden, dancing with her husband.

Mad Rush For The Door.

There was a rustle of silk as the nicely clad patrons rushed for the door. A woman screamed and fainted.

McCarthy jerked free from Kearney, pulled a revolver and fired one shot striking Kelleher directly between the eyes. Steve dropped dead.

McCarthy walked out the door but was arrested before he had gone a block.

Patrol wagons backed up to the doors of Kearney's and most of those who saw the shooting were taken to headquarters for questioning.

CARETAKERS WIN NICHE IN HALL

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ward. As the door tell the maid men based upon him, and he laid a deadly trap to save himself.

The unnamed man, whose one passion was a lust to kill, temporal became rational during the trial and helped many of his companions get out through a window, alms to them something. When the damsel was passed he lapsed into reason.

Three attendants who then rushed into the names again and again darting down a veritable corridor of death to carry on their work of rescue. One was found pinned in a doorway by a charred beam. His hand still clutching the shoulder of the man he was trying to save.

U. S. Loses in Defunct Oklahoma Bank Case

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The supreme court today held against the United States government in its efforts to have its claims paid before other depositors of an insolvent Guthrie, Okla., bank receive any reimbursement.

The federal government brought the case to the court to recover funds it had deposited for Indians.

The state of Oklahoma opposed the government on the ground that all depositors were to be paid alike from the state guarantee fund.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Spread in the News

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 19.—The following marriage licenses were issued here today:

Theodore T. Tanner to Annie Flannigan.

E. C. Whatley to Elizabeth McCreary.

W. E. Watts, Jr., to Irene D. Wade.

R. G. Fester to Lora Fehr.

William Noah Egger to Edith Eleanor Hargraves.

Gus Jackson to Ida McZeal.

Sam King to Maggie Young.

George Wellington to Julia Bates.

Alfred Babs to Ola Lewis.

Arthur Bragg to Florence Dowchenko.

Alex Bernard to Lillian Robinson.

Rufus Burleson to Cora Searle.

CUSTOMS SEIZE DOPE ON NORWEGIAN STEAMSHIP

Seizure of about 2 pounds of a Mexican weed, stramonium, similar to opium, and five quarts of liquor aboard the Norwegian steamship Svartford, was reported by customs officials this afternoon. The seizure of the weed and liquor was made during the inspection of the ship by Inspectors of Customs, Milton R. Lumley, R. E. Sheenak and David H. Clarke before noon today.

COTTON GROWERS MEET TO PLAN WEEVIL FIGHT

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 19.—The National Cotton conference met here today to formulate plans for a concerted fight on the South's greatest economic menace—the boll weevil.

Dr. Miller Rose Hutchinson, noted scientist and formerly associated with Thomas A. Edison, will have charge of the two-day campaign.

FAD-WOMAN MATCHES GOWN WITH CIGARETTES

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Gowns to match her cigarettes is the latest fad of the idle-near-rich in New York. Some of the fair ones change their gown colors and some the cigarette colors, but the dictum is that they must match. Some of them buy cigarettes and gowns at the same time and "try" both on, to be sure of perfect harmony.

SECOND TRIAL BEGINS

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, Feb. 19.—Henry John Toussaint, civil engineer, Harvard graduate and world war veteran, was to go on trial here for the second time for the murder of his father, O. S. Toussaint, former Washington, D. C., hotel proprietor.

SUITS FILED

BEAUMONT, Feb. 19.—The following suits were filed here today:

Mandy Smith vs. Jerry Smith, divorce.

Adonis Adams vs. Texas Indemnity company, to set aside award of industrial accident board.

Mary Arthur vs. Joe Arthur, divorce.

FARM BLOC WOULD FORCE CREDIT ACTION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—A "round robin" to force action on the whole program of farm credit legislation before this congress dies, was being circulated in the house today by Representative Dowell of Iowa.

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12 1-2 lb net peck Yellow Yams .35

6 lb sound dry Onions .25

1 gallon 8 lb net can Jelly .40

1-2 gallon 4 lb net can Jelly .25

1-2 gallon 4 lb net can Pure Preserves .65

1 lb fresh loose Macaroni or Spaghetti .10

16 oz jar Pauls Cherry or Apricot

Pure Jam .25

3 can No. 1 Clipper Tomatoes .25

No. 2 can Corned Beef .25

1 lb net can Corned Beef Hash .10

2 lb net can Corned Beef Hash .18

1 lb net can Corned Beef .18

10 lb can Calumet Baking Powder 1.60

1 gallon can Loveland Evangeline

or White Star Syrup .50

1 gallon can Dunbar Syrup .65

1 gallon Dark Corn Syrup .45

1 gallon White Corn Syrup .55

3 lb net can Plettman's

Special Coffee .1.10

2 glasses Welch's Grapejuice .25

5 large 10c rolls Toilet Paper .25

Pint bottle Pure Grape Juice .25

Quart Bottle Pure Apple Cider .40

2 cans Eagle Brand Milk .45

2 bottles 10c Bluing .15

2 lb Brown or Powdered Sugar .25

10 1-2 oz net jar Beach Nut Peanut Butter .25

5 cans 10c Tomato Sardines .25

7 1-2 lb net can Saltine Crackers, no charge for container .25

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4 to 7 lb Boston But, a ham without a bone, lb .25

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TO PUSH WORK ON SCHOOL JOB

High School Addition May Be Started Tuesday

Construction crews for the high school addition job were being lined up and the concrete plant erected on the high school grounds today.

Excavating work for the new structure will be started this afternoon or Tuesday forenoon, L. W. Hickey, of the Hickey and Montgomery contracting firm of Dallas, supervising the job, announced today.

"We want to take advantage of the good weather, and the work on the high school building will be pushed as fast as possible," Hickey said.

Unlike conditions in north Texas cities, Hickey said he found it hard to locate men for his construction force in Port Arthur.

"It appears that unemployment in Port Arthur is down to a minimum, but up in north Texas there are lots of men seeking jobs," Hickey said.

"I expect to have a crew of 150 men ready to start work Tuesday," Hickey said.

"I am sure we will have a good crew," Hickey said.

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WHO PUTS KICK IN GRAPE JUICE?

Pro Officials Puzzled at Mystery Fermentation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Federal officials are puzzling over the mystery of the mysterious fermentation of six cases of grape juice presented to them by Commissioner Hayes.

Hayes encountered the problem on his Western trip when puzzled directors of Pacific coast states came to him and asked him what to do about it.

The problem is this: Certain concerns on the Pacific coast are manufacturing a grape syrup perfectly free from alcohol. They are said to sell it like grape juice, shipping it in cold storage to any point in the United States. When it leaves their hands, it is perfectly innocuous.

Certain mysterious and rapid fermentations, however, while the syrup is in cold storage, however, with the result that it has a powerful kick," said one total to Sperber.

The question the legal scholars are posing is "Who violates the law in this case?" The manufacturers' congress do not appear to have their bodies legally legal?

The transporters and commercial dispensers do not violate the law, apparently because no claim of an analysis have yet been made rapidly enough after seizure in railroad yards or at soda fountains to prove that.

By this, by writing and forming Le bones to do his best to combat the man he is convinced is under-taking American justice.

Probation chemists say they will have to take portable testing apparatus along with them when seizures are made to determine on the spot if the beverage is being sold with illegal alcoholic content.

INVASION BY WINE FOES FEARED ON RHINE

BERLIN, Feb. 19.—The German Rhineland awaits the reported invasion of their wine funds by a female prohibition army from the United States with a deal of apprehension.

The stately winegrowers who have made their hometowns famous throughout the world too particular brands of Rhine wine and other imports are wondering what it's all about.

The press of the Rhine region is all upset about it, reflecting the views of their subscribers who declare this peaceful "occupation" is rather sudden.

Who these tidy pussycats—should we say pussycats—are and what they want to do is not definitely known. One paper's clear:

"The theory that all wine producing plants should be pulled out by the roots is being promulgated in America where a corps of women has been organized to make an expedition to Europe to undertake such measures as quickly as possible there. For uniforms they will wear diamond-shaped glasses and "refrain from flappers."

U. S. JUSTICE IS CRUMBLING, SAYS TEXAS JUDGE IN PERJURY WAR

ARE WE LIARS?

Do we Americans tell untruths today more glibly than we did 35 years ago? Has our conception of honesty degenerated so far that the members of Justice has been rendered to the court of the jury?

John C. Townes, Austin, Texas, one of America's most learned jurists, thinks so.

It is almost impossible for courts to render justice today. We need in our courtroom more of the rugged honesty which formerly was our priceless treasure.

That's an indictment of the moral fabric of all American society. Are we guilty or not guilty?

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 19.—Great, have a busy living and a breakaway of moral fiber have made perjury so dominant a factor in American courts that justice is entirely obscured.

That statement comes from Judge John C. Townes, 47 years old of the law school of the University of Texas and a lawyer, jurist, writer and editor of nationwide reputation.

And so deadly in earnest is Townes that despite his 70 years he has resigned his office as dean and will go back teaching so that he will be more intimately in touch with law students — the lawyers and judges of the future.

By this, by writing and forming Le bones to do his best to combat the man he is convinced is under-taking American justice.

Justice Impossible?

It is almost impossible for courts to render justice today, Townes says.

"Time was when men preferred to have their necks broken, rather than to perjure themselves. Times have changed.

It is a well-known fact without testimony prosecution is impossible,

and when men and women purport themselves, eddily, calculatingly and deviously, truthful testimony is impossible to get.

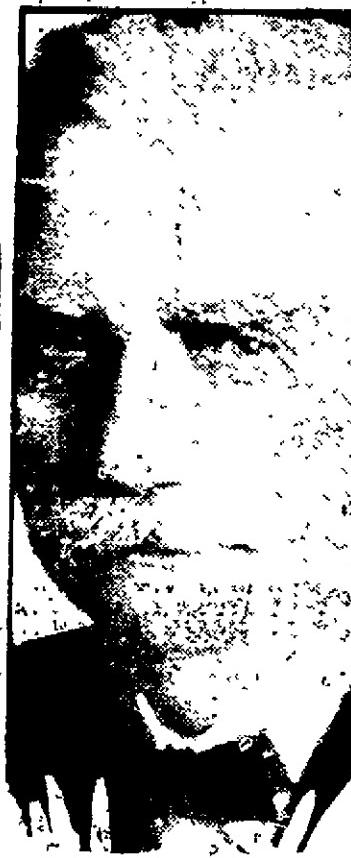
"It takes moral courage to tell truth, and moral courage is gravely lacking.

"Love of easy living is causing lawyers to abandon the ethics of their profession and the duties of their own consciences. Even the public is 'in' on the secret that most estimable nowdays is trained in advance by attorneys, the witnesses merely telling on the stand what their lawyers order them to say.

Result of War

"The 'hangover' from the war has left its disastrous effect. For four years the world was removed from the sphere of moral domination and was ruled by physical strength, by brute might. It is hard for people to recover their equilibrium.

"Take the lawyer. If any man should uphold the sovereignty of the constitutional government that man is a lawyer. But instead, many lawyers have allowed themselves to be hoodwinked into being the ciphers of the courts and justice by living themselves with hooded



JUDGE JOHN C. TOWNES

Property Rights Sacred
There is growing in this country a feeling that the rights of property are more sacred than the rights of life and limb. In a recent decision of the highest courts of the land virtually declared that all such was lawful and it should be, it is not, feeling, evil and destructive that date and I am going to fight against.

"We need in our countries, in our public life and in our private life more of the rugged honesty which

was the priceless treasure of the people 35 years ago."

POLITICS AVOIDED BY FARM MARKET HEAD

FARGO, N. D., Feb. 19.—Farmers marketing organizations should avoid politics in the opinion of Mike DeMores, Iowa president of the Iowa branch of the Farmers' Union, representing 50,000 members of that state alone.

DeMores is a veteran worker in farmers' organizations. His first training was received in the old Farmers' Union, which flourished thirty years ago and came to its downfall in assets when it evolved into Populist party.

As another example, Reno claims the farm bureau cannot solve the farmers' problems "because of demotion by big business."

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GARAGE OWNER FOUND KILLED

Body, Head Crushed in, Discovered in Building

WICHITA, Kan., Feb. 19.—Wichita's head crushed in with the heavy iron axle of a motorcar, the body of a man identified as O. E. Lantis, 39 years old, who roomed at a hotel here, was found Sunday morning in a bed in the corner of a garage of which he was part owner.

The body lying in a pool of blood, the face covered by a bed covering, was found by Dr. C. E. Anderson and O. E. White, of Sterling Kan. They went to the garage for Dr. Anderson's motorcar, left there Saturday night. They immediately notified the police.

An investigation Sunday morning failed to develop any motive for the murder or anyone connected with the killing.

NEW SLEEP SICKNESS AFTER FLU BAFFLES

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 19.—Prominent physicians here, headed by Dr. F. N. Durang, professor of neurology, and Dr. Albert E. Rousset, professor of medicine at the University of Pennsylvania are taking a leading part in a world wide effort to discover a means of relieving victims stricken by sleeping sickness.

Efforts of the doctors to unravel the mysteries of the disease have thus far met with little success. Scientists, however, are hopeful.

"Sleeping sickness is a misnomer for 'the disease,'" according to Dr. Rousset. "The real sleeping sickness is caused by a bite of the tsetse fly, which is found in Africa. The other disease, wrongly called sleeping sickness, is rarely accompanied by long periods of sleep, but the patient is usually in a lethargy or may be wildly delirious."

The disease consists of minute abscesses in the brain stem and often follows influenza. It is probably due to a germ of the same group as that causing influenza, but it does not seem to be communicable although health laws require that it be reported. There is no case on record in which two members of the same family have had it."

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JUDGE BEAN FINDS \$40 AND GUN ON DEAD MAN, SO COURT ASSESSES FINE OF \$40 FOR TOTING PISTOL

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 19.—"Judge" Bean is one of the legendary figures of the old Tex—*the Texas of gun play and law made on the spur of the moment and enforced by anyone who had the nerve and the shooting ability to make it stick."*

A lot of people questioned whether there ever was such a man. But a picture and a tattered note book recently brought to light show that he did live and hold his court and get away with his decisions.

Judge Bean presided in what was then Vinegaroon, along in the virgin days of the present century. The judge's sign over a saloon, read: "Law West of the Pecos." The Pecos, as it is known, is one of the big rivers of Texas. "West of the Pecos" in those days meant about the same as no law and mighty little justice.

The picture shows Bean seated on a bear log on the porch of his saloon, smoking at his side, and a volume of "Statutes of Texas" before him. He wrote his rulings in a notebook which has been preserved. Here was one of them:

"Beale—in all kinds of gains, from poker to highway robbery, everybody shooting a Chinese."

There ain't no law against killing a Chinaman. The law is against killing a reasonable being and Chinaman ain't a reasonable being, but nothing but a Chinaman."

Fined a Dead-Man

Bean once fined a dead man \$10. The body was found under a刺繡. It was taken before the "Judge," who found on it \$10 and a pistol. Bean fined the body \$10 for carrying a pistol and calmly collected it.

Lily Langtry, famous actress, passed

The largest anti-friction bearing in the world, recently exhibited in New York, is now on display in London, weighs above a ton and is more than four feet high.

The newest bracelets are worn in London, weights above a ton and are jeweled or enamelled, so that they give an effect of importance.

After Every Meal

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The Capes

COME in many delightfully new creations, of tweed, poiret and velour. With their beautiful silk lining and trimmings they make up a delightful selection indeed. See them tomorrow.

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The Dresses

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REASON WHY?

More democrats than republicans have been appointed postmasters in many of the Southern states during the last two years. There is a reason for it. There are many communities where all the white voters are democrats and it is necessary for a postmaster to be able to read and write.

A GLORIOUS RECORD

President Harding uttered a solemn as well as a living truth when he declared the people of the South in accomplishing the reconstruction of the South after the civil war set the finest example that could be urged upon war wasted world today. Incidentally it should be permissible to say that the people of the South were called upon to dig their way out and they did not ask the world to either feed or finance them.

JUDICIAL REFORM

Texas has ninety-six district courts with others on the way. Representative Quinn of Jefferson county, before the organization of the 38th legislature, promised to introduce a bill providing that a district judge should work eight hours a day for eight hours pay. It did not appeal to his colleagues and then Quinn throttled his laudable intention.

SENT TO THE MORGUE

State Senator Edgar Witt of Waco introduced a bill in the upper house of the Texas legislature providing that the court of criminal appeals shall not reverse any verdict because of error unless the error be such as to affect the substantial rights of the defendant. Senator Witt's bill was passed by the senate and then sent to the house. House judiciary committee let out its life blood. What was the provocation?

WHO ARE THE CLOSEST?

Bexar and Dallas boast of two of the largest cities of the state and a greater number of people than any other four counties combined. Representative Henry Sackett of Coleman county aroused the ire of the officers of Bexar and Dallas counties by introducing a bill to provide that taxes may be paid in quarterly installments. Who are the masters? The tax payers or the county officials? Who are the closest to the people? The lawmakers or the county tax collectors?

A New Jersey dog valued at \$20,000 was poisoned by an unknown person. A nut must have made the valuation.

PASSED ZERO

Cold weather in the wheat producing sections of America has boosted the price of the stuff from which the staff of life is made. Now, when warm weather comes will the heat cause a slump in the price of wheat? It appears that the old dogma of supply and demand has ceased to exist when it comes to fixing the price of the staple products of the world.

A Chicago millionaire had 1500 cases of whiskey valued at \$185,000 stolen from his warehouse. Federal prohibition officers have investigated, declared that nothing to show how the liquor had been taken from the building could be found. Then they are punk trail finders.

WHERE'S THE DONK RIDER?

A year ago 17 employees of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing were summarily dismissed by their chief who had been recently appointed. They appealed to the president. He has restored their civil service status and exonerated the victims of a small political boss. President Harding in his early youth was a printer and is an honorary member of the International Typographical Union. Also he will be a candidate for re-election in 1924. All republican opposition to his renomination has been quieted. Senator H. Johnson of California has been muzzled but not muzzled. Now who are the democrats going to pick?

As they were unable to rule the Irish free state, the De Valera anarchists are bent upon its destruction. President Cosgrave should strike with an iron hand. There is only one way to rid Ireland of mad anarchists.

DUE TO STARVE

More than 8,000,000,000 Russians will have to be fed this year or they will starve. This is the announcement made by the American commission on Russian relief. Russians were starving four centuries ago when Peter the Great began to place the mud sills of an empire. Russians have starved all down the corridors of time. Russians will be starving a thousand years hence. They are very much like the Chinese. There has never been an age or a year in the history of China that famine did not fill the grave yard.

Texas has 8,713 dogs having an assessed value of \$406,70. Dogs appear to be a drug on the market in Texas.

Texas has 14,956 steam engines and boilers. They consume gas. There is money in oil.

Only the newest dictionaries define an embassy as an oasis.

Courtesy: The art of making the other fellow feel more important than you.

A wife is a person who meant to sew that button on yesterday and forgot it today.

When people tell you you are looking well, they always mean well preserved.

A hick town is a place where very little is required to arouse suspicion.

So far Japan has been too polite to ask France when she expects to get out of the Ruhr.

The boy who quits the farm, may not get up in the world, but he gets up about three hours later in the morning.

Most of the horn blowing is done by those unaccustomed to driving and those unaccustomed to success.

Intuition is the quality that enables a woman to win the argument without bothering with facts.

Correct this sentence: "The five-ton truck took to the ditch and gave the jitney right-of-way."

If you can't be rich, or famous, or beautiful, you can get the same superior feeling by being good.

France can't afford to reduce the indemnity charge now. It will cost her that much to collect it.

The One-Man Woman
DO WOMEN LOVE?

By Ruth Agnes Eeling

"I'd like to have proof that it isn't," sneered Latham, "but this isn't an age of miracles—particularly where women are concerned."

"Women," he went on, "never have been so generally combative as they are today, and so ready to come down to man's standard of living. If you don't believe what I've said in regard to Alice, why don't you prove or disprove it?"

"Prove it," Kate retorted.

"Certainly!" with an exultant laugh. "When we finish dinner we'll drive around there—you wait while I go in. If she's about, so that I can begin a casual conversation with her, my car is yours if she doesn't go out with me, in spite of the fact that she knows about the man at the movie."

"What is wrong with your car?" Kate smiled. "You seem anxious to give it away."

"On the contrary, I need it. Can't get along without it at this particular time—but I'm sure of my ground."

"You make me wonder if this hasn't been prearranged! You're too sure of yourself for my peace of mind." Kate looked at him questioningly, but I'll go with you regardingly, but how rotten a trick I think it is."

"And," Kate continued lightly, "I'm going chiefly because I know you will fail."

"I won't," dryly.

They finished dinner in silence. Every now and then Kate glanced at the man across from her. He was attractive. He must have had much experience with women of the finest type. A man of his sort would have. Was his judgment of them reliable, then? Were they becoming too much like men?

Kate recalled among the women she knew those distinctly feminine traits. The distance to Sing Loy's lounge and those who appreciated a masculine attitude. She remembered how they heard a wailing sound, high-pitched, plaintive, weird. There she had been inclined to smile as she listened, playfully, weird.



THEY HEARD A HIGH-PITCHED, WAILING SOUND.

watched the ill-fitting, maniacal mannerisms of the latter group. They hadn't attracted her. They had amused her as might a child, playing at grown-up.

Perhaps James Latham was right. Perhaps women were sacrificing a lot of charm for a little freedom and naturally they were changing at heart because Kate knew, all too well, how her own moods changed with the clothes she wore.

"We're off!" said Latham, as they got into the car.

"Yes," pensively.

The distance to Sing Loy's lounge was covered soon. As they pulled up in front of the low structure, Kate remembered how she had been inclined to smile as she listened, playfully, weird.

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Ladies' sport oxfords of patent leather, perforated, trimmed, low heels, trimmed in brown or grey suede.

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Brown calf oxfords with ruber tanned walking heels.

Brown Kid \$5.48

Best grades of brown kid, white soles, choice of military or low heels.

The boy who quits the farm, may not get up in the world, but he gets up about three hours later in the morning.

Most of the horn blowing is done by those unaccustomed to driving and those unaccustomed to success.

Intuition is the quality that enables a woman to win the argument without bothering with facts.

Correct this sentence: "The five-ton truck took to the ditch and gave the jitney right-of-way."

If you can't be rich, or famous, or beautiful, you can get the same superior feeling by being good.

France can't afford to reduce the indemnity charge now. It will cost her that much to collect it.

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325 Procter
Where the Customer is Always Right

lights in the front room. But in the reflected glow from the back, hurrying figures were visible.

(To be continued)

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Food Costs Lower in
January, But 47 P. C.
Higher Than in 1913

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The real cost of food decreased one per cent in January as compared with December, the labor department estimated today.

Increases were noted in 16 articles and decreases in 16, with the price of ten unchanged.

Diepke the recent decreases the cost to the average family was two per cent more in January this year than in January last year. Food costs are still 47 per cent higher than in 1913.

TALL TIMBERS GET
NEW UNIFORMED COPS

QUEBEC, Quebec, Feb. 13.—A trained and uniformed body of permanent forestry police, organized on semi-military lines and invested with wide powers in the land of the tall timber, is the innovation now being considered in a tentative way by the Quebec Forestry Association.

Declaring she was offered a \$25,000 bribe to go to Washington as lobbyist for "a certain bill," Mrs. T. G. Winter, president of the General Federation of Woman's Clubs, has stated she will produce a letter offering the bribe "when it becomes necessary."

Next to keeping a good man down the darnedest thing to do is to keep a bad one up.

The most mushy thing about snow is the poetry it inspires.

If there were no movies, where would people go to talk?

Charges Bribe



TOM SIMS SAYS

We sent our soldiers to Germany and they got married so let's don't ever fight China or Japan.

The world gets faster. A man can get married in two minutes or drink himself to death in one.

First saxophone was made in 1846 and the evil hasn't been stopped yet.

Entirely too many people try to get the upper hand by dealing from the bottom.

Stay at home with your cold, advises a doctor. It would be nicer if you could leave it there alone.

Home grown things usually seem the best, especially home grown girls.

Wearing old clothes is all right if you know you don't have to.

Thinking you are sick tells on you quicker than a small brother.

One way to beat the income tax is to buy oil stock.

Spring will be here in a few weeks if some reformer doesn't object.

Next year is leap year, but every year is leap year for pedestrians.

A baby with a rich uncle is always easy to name.

If we could only leave the income tax blank that way.

Legislative Action on
P. A. Court Bill Soon

Action is expected soon on the Port Arthur court bill, one of the 300 measures reported in committee room.

The bill, which would create a court here with jurisdiction equal to the county court at law, must be acted upon by March 9 or March 11. One of these dates will be decided upon for adjournment.

As soon as the legislature, the bill provides for the appointment of a judge of election. When originally drawn, the judge was to have been appointed.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.—2 Tim. 2:15.

The pleasure a man of honor enjoys in the consciousness of having performed his duty is a reward he buys for himself for all his pains.—La Bruyere.

A man who means well doesn't always keep within his means.

A dream is a nightmare when she has her hair rolled up.

The best way to feel at home is to stay there.

If we could only leave the income tax blank that way.

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New Spring MILLINERY

Children's Madge Evans Spring Hats

If you want a hat that will give individuality to daughter, something different, see these at \$3.50 up.

New Spring MILLINERY

The beautiful McRoy hats are here—in all their glowing beauty—in all their characteristic charm. To the particular dresser nothing is so important as choosing the right hat and in McRoy hats you find the problem solved—with an endless array of new creations in new shades, new styles and trims.

Silk Hats for early Spring wear are being offered at low prices.

Our Cotton Goods Priced at 5c Yard Less Than You Will Be Able to Buy it. You Save Here

Mother's will be glad to know that

Tom Sawyer

Ladies' and Children's New Spring SHOES

Blouses, shirts, play suits and wash suits are here. Tom-Sawyer garments wear, they're made right.

Unionalls

Lee's unionalls for children are here at the right prices. Blue or khaki.

Save 50c to \$1.00 Pair

Paisley Cantons \$3.50

The new silk and at low price, Paisley effects in canton crepes, all colors, 40 inches.

Crepe de Chine \$2.98

Paisley and printed crepe de Chines, 40 inches wide, all colors.

Taffetas \$2.00-\$2.98

All the new shades, 40 inch crepe de Chine, special \$1.89.</p

THE NEWS' SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD PAGE

COLONIAL RECEPTION AT BLEDSOE HOME MARKS FIRST STEPS FOR NEW DEPARTMENT CLUB HOUSE

THE DEPARTMENT CLUB, Port Arthur's largest women's organization composed of the Women's Self Improvement Club, the Reading Club, the Symphony Club, the Young Women's Culture Club, the Civic Club, and the Council of Jewish Women, has taken its latest progressive step in preparing to establish its own clubrooms, homelike and dignified, where members may gather for tea, reading and all the various uses of a clubhouse.

A concerted effort of all the clubs to raise funds for the club building will be culminated this afternoon at the Colonial Reception, which is being held at the beautiful home of Dr. and Mrs. M. F. Bledsoe on Lake Shore drive, from 3 to 5:30 o'clock. The reception is being given in the form of a silver tea.

For several weeks the ways and means committee of the clubs has been working to complete plans for the building, which have been adopted by the club. The club house will be situated in the 1900 block on Lake Shore drive. Each detail has been considered with utmost care, and the result promises to be a building in perfect taste.

In establishing the club house, made necessary by the destruction by fire of the former club rooms, the club has in mind the traditions of the original club, founded by women who stood for the highest and most progressive ideals of their day. Twenty-five years ago, Mrs. W. P. Park, prominent in both club and social circles today, gathered the mere handful of women comprising Port Arthur's feminine population in those days, at her home, for a social gathering. This was the first step toward organizing the Women's Self Improvement Club, Port Arthur's pioneer club.

In broadening the Department Club to meet the needs of today the members feel that they are still guided by the spirit of its first spontaneity. The present arrangement, when completed, makes for a wider and more friendly use of the club, will bring its members more closely in contact, and give them added privileges. In addition it will make use of the club by other organizations, for which it will be opened for entertainments and social functions.

Interesting indeed is the club woman of the city is the history of the organization of the W. S. I. Club, which was established at the same time that the Wednesday Whist Club was organized at the old Sabine Hotel. Mrs. Park preferred to devote her energies and interests to a literary club, and did not become a member of the whist club, which, during Port Arthur's earlier days, was the only club of its kind. It still holds the honor of being the only whist club, in the city.

When organized, the W. S. I. Club had only nine members, the only original member still with the club being Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, now president of the Four District Federation of Women's Clubs.

"Our Club was organized just for sociability," Mrs. Park said in remembrance. "We had no library here, and the only way of getting information from other parts of the world was through magazines and pamphlets we received. Mrs. Murphy, the wife of the first professor in the Port Arthur school, assisted me in assembling the women. We took up current events, the happenings of those days, and studied them with keen interest. Never was a little band of women more faithful to their club work than we. We named our club the W. S. I. at our first meeting."

Mrs. Park was president of the W. S. I. Club the first three years of its organization. Since then she has almost dropped from the club work, now associating only as an honorary member. Mrs. Reynolds was the first secretary of the club.

In recalling the first meetings of the W. S. I. Club, Mrs. Reynolds spoke of numerous incidents in connection with the club work. She told of the meetings at the homes of members, how the women were forced to wade in water and mud to get to the hostess' home, how the hostesses had arranged their homes for entertaining the club and how enjoyable those first sessions were.

The Women's Self Improvement Club was federated in 1902 with the State Federation.

After the organization of the Symphony Club, the first musical club in the city, and another literary club, the Reading Club, the women attempted a city federation to co-operate with each other. The Department Club of today is the outgrowth of the city federation. After the Department Club had been formed, G. H. Burkhardt was elected president and served most efficiently as its first head. The organization was perfected in the summer of 1899 with a roster of fifty members. The Young Women's Culture Club and the Civic Club are two of the more recent clubs, and the Council of Jewish Women is the youngest branch of the Department Club, having become affiliated with the organization last year.

The Department Club is surely clearing house for all the clubs, according to Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, who declares that no club loses its individuality in belonging to the Department Club.

The Symphony Club was organized fourteen years ago, with a membership of eighty, including the active, associate, and honorary members.

The organization was perfected at the home of Mrs. J. T. Brennan, at which time Mrs. Carl Zapf, was elected president; Mrs. L. G. Stump, vice-president; Mrs. F. G. McEwan, then Miss Gertrude Hall, secretary; and Mrs. Howard Smith, then Miss Christine Landes, treasurer. Thirteen charter members included the four officers, and Mrs. Rupert Thobolt, Miss Florence Bush, Mrs. Woodwin, Sr., Miss Lily Brennan, Mrs. A. Lois,

hot chocolate and cake were served after the program.

MRS. D. LEVY ENTERTAINED the Thursday Bridge Club at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed Szafir, 1120 Procter street.

The reception suite was attractively adorned with sweet peas. Besides the members of the club, two tables of additional guests enjoyed the charming hospitality. After the games the club prize was awarded to Mrs. Looch of New York, and the guest was presented to Mrs. Lewis of Beaumont.

A tempting two-course luncheon was offered at the close of the games. Mrs. Levy was assisted in entertaining by her daughters, Mrs. Leon Roenthal and Mrs. Tillie Monk of Beaumont, and Mrs. Ed Szafir.

MRS. AND MRS. MAX M. MIXTER and Mr. and Mrs. Hy Bird motored from Galveston to spend the weekend with friends in both Port Arthur and Beaumont.

AMONG THE CHARMING HOSTESSES of the weekend was the bride with Miss Neal Miles as her maid of honor. The program at the Colonial Reception is in charge of the Symphony Club.

The Reading Club came into existence in the fall of 1919, when nine women, interested in better literature and organization, club which they later named the Reading club. Mrs. Reba Dyer was the first president of the Reading club.

AN APPRECIATIVE AUDIENCE, composed of relatives and friends, were present at the informal entertainment given on Saturday evening at the K. P. hall by the Girls Music Study and Dramatic Club.

The program of part one consisted of six beautiful piano solos, rendered by Miss Katherine Jurischek, Mary Lomen, Thelma Plaeotte, Violet Edwards, Olive Kurek, and Annie Miford Johnson, and a clever reading, "An Impersonation of Mrs. Rosenblatt at the Ball Game," by Miss Violet Edwards.

MRS. J. SHERMAN'S MANY friends will regret to learn that she is confined to her home, 1101 Eleventh street, by illness.

MR. AND MRS. JAMES G. MINTER, Jr., returned last evening after a brief honeymoon in Houston and Galveston and are stopping temporarily at the Plaza.

Mrs. Minter was formerly Miss Nona Fleming. Her wedding to Mr. Minter took place on Friday evening in Beaumont at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. Logan, 2120 Park street. The bridal party was met immediately by friends and relatives from Galveston, with whom they motored to Houston and Galveston on their honeymoon.

ELABORATE PREPARATIONS are being made by the Ladies' Aid of the Congregational church to make

SOCIAL CALENDAR MONDAY

The "Colonial Tea" will be given at the stately home of Mrs. M. F. Bledsoe on Lake Shore drive, with members of the Department Club as hostesses, 3 to 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Vivian Muntz will entertain the Eldeen Krow Society at her home, 1128, Eleventh street, 3 o'clock.

Mrs. H. L. Livergood will be hostess to the Saturday Five Hundred Club at her home on Tenth street.

The Women's Auxiliary of the C. U. will meet at the Carpenter's Hall, 2:30 o'clock.

TUESDAY

Mrs. Herbert Henderson will entertain the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home, 3625 Lake Shore drive. Mrs. W. D. McDowell will be hostess to the Tuesday Coterie at her home, 1111 Nashville avenue.

Mrs. J. D. Stover will be hostess to the Tuesday Five Hundred Club at her home, 1243 Fifth street.

Mrs. J. P. Landes will be hostess to the Women's Self Improvement Club at her home, 1547 Procter street.

The Pythian Sisters will meet in regular session at the K. P. hall, 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. H. F. Bunker, assisted by Mrs. A. N. Dobbs, Mrs. A. C. McLean, Mrs. J. E. Singletary, Mrs. J. D. Carter, Mrs. H. D. Maltbie, Mrs. G. T. Muniz, Mrs. J. H. Risor, Mrs. L. T. McAlister, and Mrs. L. O. Kerr will entertain the missionary Society of the First M. E. Church, South, at her home, 1006 Fifth street.

The Legion Auxiliary will meet at the American Legion Club rooms at 2:30 o'clock.

The Senior Epworth League of the First Methodist church, South, will entertain with a Valentine Party at the Annex, Atlanta and Fifth street, 8 o'clock.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Central Baptist church will meet at the church, 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Mary McFarland will entertain the Tuesday Night Bridge club at her home, 2901 Lake Shore drive, 8 o'clock.

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the "Colonial Dinner" on Thursday evening a most successful affair.

The dinner will be given at 6 o'clock at the church, following which a program will be rendered.

No meeting of the Missionary Society will be held on Thursday afternoon on account of the dinner in Port Arthur.

The reception suite was attractively adorned with sweet peas. Besides the members of the club, two tables of additional guests enjoyed the charming hospitality. After the games the club prize was awarded to Mrs. Looch of New York, and the guest was presented to Mrs. Lewis of Beaumont.

A tempting two-course luncheon was offered at the close of the games. Mrs. Levy was assisted in entertaining by her daughters, Mrs. Leon Roenthal and Mrs. Tillie Monk of Beaumont, and Mrs. Ed Szafir.

Seventeenth street. Only a few friends and relatives were present to witness the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. R. C. Goens of the First M. E. Church, South. The happy couple will make their home in Port Arthur.

Hard-Working Young Labor Leader May Jostle Sleepy Tories

LONDON, Feb. 19.—Ability to withstand fatigue may be the cause of the labor party's triumph in parliament over the Labor government. Young men fresh from the exacting demands of a daily scramble for a living compose the bulk of the Labor M. P.'s.

Contented old gentlemen, with deep respect for rest and ease, carry the Conservative parliamentary battle flags.

In a house which frequently sits

until midnight, the threat of labor to literally out-work its enemies is not without its menace.

The house meets at 3:15 p. m. and at once embarks on a stormy hour of questions to the government.

Evaded questions result in time-consuming debate. Ten hour arrives and is neither a fad nor a formality. It is a custom.

Three hours after tea, dinner demands and gets the attention of parliament. Until around nine in the evening, the sitting of parliament has been pretty well chopped up.

Labor is clamoring that M. P.'s lead too soft a life. Labor leaders declare that the party will prolong every sitting of parliament into the

small hours of the morning.

The master is causing grave concern to Premier Bonar Law and his Tory allies.

Labor is young. On the opposition benches bald heads and wrinkled faces are the exception.

The government side is more sedate, bolder, and infinitely easier tired. They need sleep, these Tories, and Labor plans to make them forget a lot of it.

A typewritten petition cannot be presented in the English house of commons; it must be written. Brodus, Silesia, possesses a compressed paper chimney, 50 feet long and said to be fireproof.

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Kink Tutankamen was an Egyptian king of the eighteenth dynasty. He reigned about 1350 B. C. or 3270 years ago.

His origin is doubtful. He gained the throne by marrying Princess Ankhi-Nef-Int-Aten, most beautiful woman in Egypt and daughter of King Amun-Hotep IV.

The mystery of Tutankamen's life is this: He destroyed the beautiful city of El Amarna and ordered his subjects to leave it and settle in Thebes.

El Amarna had been constructed as a perfect city of contentment by Akhnaton, an earlier king.

What Treasures Are

Some of the treasures upon which the dispute is waged are:

Three gilt life-size images of human beings.

Gilded heads of animals with eyes of jewels.

Carved couches inlaid with ivory and semi-precious stones.

Cheats of ebony and ivory with gilt inscriptions containing Tutankamen's finery.

Tutankamen's state throne, encrusted with jewels.

A heavy chair thickly set with turquoise, cornelian lapis and other stones.

Two life-size statuettes of the king with gold work.

Four chariots encrusted with semi-precious stones.

Exquisite boxes and alabaster vases.

Richly embroidered clothing of the king and queen.

The art of the ancients is exerting a new influence on the art of today.

Tutankamen Influences FROCKS

Not only in their style-lines, but also in color and many times in pattern, the piping frocks copy the glories of Egypt. Almost always an oriental trim is seen. Prices \$16.50 to \$60.50.

Tutankamen Styles These SUITS

In their straight lines as well as their colorful trimmings and linings, and their embroideries, beads and braids are shown touches of ancient glory. Three piece suits carry the oriental patterns. Prices \$29.50 to \$84.50.

Tutankamen Designs CAPES

Tutankamen's Queen might have had just such capes as these with the flowing lines, oriental designs and silk linings, fringed trimmings and gashes of color. Of silk and wool fabrics and priced \$10.50 to \$47.50.

Tutankamen Colors in Bandanas

A novelty that France claims, but surely was inspired by the Egyptian love of colorful designing.

In Canton, crepe de Chine, satin and paisley but always with interlocking colors.

To be worn as a girl or a boy.

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Tutankamen Colors in Deauville Bandanas

You can imagine gold and silver embroideries designing the hat of milday of ancient Egypt and many times the embe shadings give to these new Spring hats the glories of the East.

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You can imagine gold and silver embroideries designing the hat of milday of ancient Egypt and many times the embe shadings give to these new Spring hats the glories of the East.

Egyptian hats are striped around ankles, black kid and patent at \$6.50, and red kid, green kid and grey suede at \$7.50. Flat heels, cut-out vamps.

Tutankamen Speaks of BLOUSES

Blouses of Egyptian designed minuettes and crepe de Chine are priced special at \$2.95.

HARDY TELLS OF VOTE FOR WAR

Sage of Corsicana Fell By Political Wayside

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—"Zero hour struck for me—a pacifist—when the question of war with Germany came to a vote," said Representative Rufus Hardy of Texas.

That grave and solemn occasion in the house when congressmen were called upon to translate the will of the people into law—a law that meant certain death, maiming and disease to thousands, even many of their own sons—was described today for the United Press by the scholarly old Texan who voluntarily retires on March 3.

But the "Sage of Corsicana" goes back to watch the plow turn his "black wattle" acres in Navarro county with the knowledge that, despite his conviction of the unrighteousness of war, he did not shrink his responsibility when the test came. He told how the battle of conscience was fought and won before he stood up to be counted in the presence of his fellow members and overflowing galleries.

Born in 1855, Hardy was just old enough to have the horrors, the tragedy and the tears of the Civil War imprinted vividly on his childhood memory. He grew to manhood amid the strife of reconstruction in East Texas where the last stand of the "unreconstructed rebels" was made, a thorough pacifist as a result of his experiences.

Still a Pacifist

"Instead of growing up with the customary boyish desire to be a soldier, I had no use for martial music and clanking sabers," said Hardy. "I was a pacifist and still am. I voted for war, but I was in a torment coming to the decision I knew was right."

"My vote would have made no difference in the result. War was inevitable before the house acted. President Wilson had asked for authority and the Senate had already voted it. But the fact that it required more than 17 hours for the house to come to a decision shows that other men were not taking their responsibilities lightly."

"From the beginning of the war, I had opposed America going in just three months before, I went home and defended the president for keeping us out of war. I defended him, course all through the 1916 campaign.

"In the meantime, I began to study the 'blood and iron' philosophy of Bernhardi and Nietzsche and the 'Gott und mein' idea of the Kaiser.

"Germany, with her 'mug's right' policy carried out through her murderous U-boats, threatened to tie up our commerce and it was evident she proposed to make the United States pay indemnity if she was successful in her war on Great Britain and France."

Point of Self Defense

"We had been attacked. It had come to a point of self-defense. The preventive hour had struck."

"All these things revolved in my mind as the debate grew hot and furiously. The house was in a state of emotion. It was nearing three o'clock in the morning, yet the galleries were packed."

"When my name was called on that eventful roll call, I constrained against all feeling, I voted for war. I did so knowing it meant the blood of thousands of our dearest sons and the expenditure of untold billions in treasure, which would place a burden of debt on our people for a hundred years. It was the biggest, bravest thing I ever did in public life and I am proud of it."

YANK AIR SERVICE AT WORK ON NEW GLIDER

DAYTON, Ohio, Feb. 19.—The United States Army Air Service, recognizing the possibilities of motorless airplaning, has in last materially interested itself in the construction of gliders.

The first model is being built at McCook Field—intermediate army air station—and, test flights to propose in the near future.

J. A. Roche, a civilian employee of McCook Field, is supervising the glider's construction. Roche has experimented with gliders for a number of years. Tests of his models are deemed to have been highly successful.

The plane now in early construction has a wing span of 26 feet. The pilot sits high in front of the exact length center of the wings.

BOY INJURED BY SHELL MAY RECOVER

BLAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 19.—Plans for the recovery of Harold Leigh, 16, who accidentally shot himself with an improvised gun Saturday, was expressed by attending physicians here today. Young Leigh was struck by the lead from a .22 rifle cartridge when he dropped the cartridge on a concrete floor, causing it to explode. Ranging upward through the boy's abdomen, the bullet punctured the liver.

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SOCIAL CENTER FOR YOUNG FOLK

Mayor Logan Urges Need Before Endeavorers

Emphasizing the social betterment of Port Arthur, Mayor Logan in addressing the First Christian church last evening told how he would spend \$50,000 in improving the community—if he had it.

The first phase touched upon by Mayor Logan in his address was the establishment of a social center at Y. M. C. A. or a Y. W. C. A., where, he said, young men and young women could receive education in a atmosphere which had been neglected in their early years.

"I believe, however, that the first thing I should do would be to call in a committee to advise in spending the money," he declared. "It is not wise to take one man's ideas in spending such a large sum of money."

Proper Early Environment

"Another thing would be to give the community better police protection. I would have more officers on the force so that the town could be properly policed. But what's the use of arresting these people over and over again? We ought to start with the boys and girls and give them the proper environment when they are young, then we would not have to worry about the rougher element when they get older."

A vivid picture was drawn by the mayor in his description of the girls and women brought before court each day. A home for girls was advocated by the speaker.

Red Cross Endorsed

The Red Cross and its aid to a community were spoken of in glowing terms by the mayor, who cited several examples of the Red Cross' work among the unfortunate of the city. The Lions Club was praised for its establishment of the Lions Park, an invaluable asset to Port Arthur.

"Legislation cannot make a good man," declared the speaker in concluding. "From his youth he must be taught the idea of Christian citizenship. One mind has been on the material things in Port Arthur. It should be more evenly divided. Port Arthur's reputation can be redeemed or rather it can be made, if bodies like the Endeavorers and like the Lions Club and other civic organiza-

Denies Charges



THEATRES

SCHEDULE OF AMUSEMENTS

MONDAY

Strand: Musical revue, "Watch Your Step," and picture, "All for a Woman." Peacock: "Hellfire Road" starred in "Thirty Days." Prince: "Night Life in Hollywood." Liberty: Delightful picture program—Green Tree, Jack Holt in "Mister, a Man."

TUESDAY

Strand: Musical revue, "Watch Your Step," and picture, "All for a Woman." Peoples: Mary Pickford features in "Tess of the Storm Country."

Prince: "Night Life in Hollywood." Liberty: "Confidence," starring Herbert Rawlinson.

Crown Theatre: "Wild Oats."

WEDNESDAY

Strand: Musical revue, "Watch Your Step," and picture, "All for a Woman."

Peoples: Mary Pickford features in "Tess of the Storm Country."

Prince: "Night Life in Hollywood." Liberty: "Confidence," starring Herbert Rawlinson.

Crown Theatre: "Wild Oats."

THURSDAY

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Liberty: "Confidence," starring Herbert Rawlinson.

Crown Theatre: "Wild Oats."

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REBELS RESUME ARSON WARFARE

Free State Amnesty Ends.
New Drive to Start

DUBLIN, Feb. 19.—Renewed civil warfare marked the end of the Free State's amnesty today.

Fighting between national troops and irregulars occurred and the rebel campaign of arson and bombing was resumed.

Extraordinary activity on the part of Free State troops was believed to pressure a drive against the insurgent troops.

In North Kerry, rebel leader Pierce asked and obtained extension of the amnesty in his district until Tuesday to enable him to gather scattered bands for surrender.

Free Staters were hopeful the effort had effected a休ism in the ranks of the irregulars, announcing this was indicated in letters of Mars Mac Swiney to Taoiseach De Valera, confounded by the government, in which Miss Mac Swiney denounced the former "president's" policies.

**1923 IN HOMAGE
TO OLD KING TUT**

Electricity Lights Splendors
of Ancient Tomb

ANKHON, Feb. 19.—Pharaoh Tutankhamen—dead for 35 centuries—is holding court once more on the banks of the Nile.

Foreign potentates, representatives of kings whose ancestors were painted savages when Tutankhamen died, famous warriors and alien nobles filed slowly into the palace of death where the ancient monarch now holds sway and stood reverently before his catafalque.

The sepulchre in the hill-side was illuminated with electric lights as it was thrown open for the official inspection.

These modern lamps made the imposing, carved, gilded and beweaved canopy resplendent with a thousand glittering points as the distinguished guests paraded by to do homage to the lord of upper and lower Egypt whose mummy lies within.

Tutankhamen was accustomed to splendor while he lived, but it is doubtful if he ever marshalled such an efficient and variously attired army as the one which patrolled the road to his tomb—soldiers on donkeys, horses and camels and on foot armed with long poles, rifles and swords. They snapp'd stiffly to attention as the nobles passed.

In addition to the official visitors a motley of tourists, speaking all languages, swarmed into the valley of the kings to stare at the entrance to the subterranean chamber. Not since ancient Thebes crumbled to decay and the cries of wild beasts replaced the rumble of chariot wheels in its streets has such a crowd marched through its environs. Lord Carnarvon led the distinguished guests, followed by Queen Elizabeth of Belgium, Crown Prince Leopold, the Dowager Sultana of Egypt, Lord Allenby, conqueror of Palestine, and Lady Allenby; members of the Egyptian government and foreign ministers.

The next step in the examination of the tomb will be the opening of the mummy case which lies within the catafalque or canopy. This cage-false consists of a series of chests, one within the other, with huge doors which swing ponderously on swinging hinges. The innermost of these boxes is big enough to hold five mummies.

**LOPEZ TO BE INTERRED
AT DELCOMBEA, LA.**

The body of Gabriel Lopez, 17, who died at 11 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the family residence, 617 Thomas boulevard, after an illness with pneumonia, was shipped to Delcombea, La., under the direction of J. E. Grammier, today, and funeral will be made in that place.

Lopez had lived in Port Arthur for the past eight years, and at the time of his death was an employee of the Texas Company. Survivors are his widow, three sons, Ody, Onidas and Onedest; and two daughters, Misses Aneta and Marie Lopez, all of Port Arthur.

**Body of Alfred Doty
To Reach Here Tonight**

The body of Alfred Doty, Jr., 11, who died in Jacksonville, Texas, last Friday morning, will reach Beaumont tonight at 7:30 and will be brought to J. E. Grammier's funeral parlors in this city, pending the completion of funeral arrangements. Doty left Port Arthur about January 31 for Jacksonville, where he has been working for the T. and N. O. railroad.

Surviving are his father, Alfred Doty, Sr., of Port Arthur; three brothers, Daniel and Lewis, both of New Iberia, La., and Felix, of Beaumont; and three sisters, Mrs. L. DuPuy, and Miss Mary Doty, both of New Orleans, and Mrs. A. Lang, of Port Arthur.

WOMEN GAMBLERS
NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Magistrate Oberweger has legally decided in a local city court that if the "ladies" want to gamble, they will have to take care of their "cooking and house duties" first. Just exactly how the magistrate is going to decide when home duties are properly completed is the puzzle.

BRIDGE, POKER, CRAPS—THEY'RE OUT! MAH-JONGG—IT'S IN

If you haven't yet abandoned the bridge table and taken up the new indoor social sport of Mah-Jongg, you're not up on the latest form of draw.

Mah-Jongg is the thing—as fashion writers would say. It's the game imported from China by tourists and it is being played all over the country. It is played with ivory-faced domino-shaped, bamboo-backed blocks and some side dishes—like sticks as counters, little checkered chips called "designers" and a neat little pair of dice.

If you've ever played rummy, dominoes and/or, no insulation—shoo craps, you ought to make good at Mah-Jongg. For this is a combination of all those—with some peculiarly Chinese variations.

For instance, take its similarity to each of the American games:

RUMMY—The idea is to fill in a sequence, or three straight, by drawing from the blocks on the table into the hand held by each player.

POKER—the long counters act like poker chips. Some are worth 100 points, some 100, others eight and others two each. Each player gets 2000 points to start and at the end of each game there is a drawing.

DOMINOES—The blocks are set

up like dominoes, facing each player, while the others face down in a square two high, are to be drawn.

CRAPS—Tiny dice are thrown to decide which will be East Wind, or banker, at the start. Then they are thrown at each game to decide how the blocks are to be laid out before drawing.

Besides there is a simplicity to card games. The blocks are divided into three suits of Bamboo, Dots and Characters. Then there are two honor suits—the four winds and the

dragons—red, white and green.

There are lots of other minor details such as "dealing" to the left, but playing to the right! And placing north wind where south wind ought to be! Outside of that, the game is as simple as eating pie.

Sounds complicated, but believe those who are selling these sets—from \$10 up to \$125 and more—will learn it and like it in a day.

Other forms of the game are being marketed. But they're called "Ping Chow," "Po Ling," "Mah-Duo"—names by which this game can't resist it.

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Argentine Navy Buys German Ships

BUEBOS AIRS, Feb. 19.—Naval limitations have not affected the purchase of auxiliary naval craft by the Argentine government to any appreciable extent. The Staines shipbuilding organization has just delivered ten scout cruisers to the Argentine naval authorities, and it is stated that the construction of these ships is of the most modern and efficient character.

Some of the German crew will be retained by the Argentine navy under special contract owing to their special knowledge of the characteristics of these craft. The Fritz Hugo Staines V, which came as a mother ship across the Atlantic acting as tender for the tortilla brought over a valuable cargo for the account of the Staines export organization. The Germans evidently believe in killing two birds, or twenty, with one stone, wherever possible.

AFTER appearing in "The Beggar's Opera" 998 times, one of the actors recently forgot his lines, at the 999th performance.

VANCOUVER EXPORTS VANCOUVER, British Columbia, Feb. 19.—According to figures supplied by the American Consul General at this port, there was a total export of goods in 1922 from Vancouver to the United States and possessions valued at \$42,519,583, against a value of \$32,192,583 in 1921.

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CHANCE THINKS SOX GOT BEST OF YANK TRADE

"Lefty" O'Doul Gets Cherished Wish to Pitch Soon

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Manager Frank Chance of the Red Sox has positively announced that "Lefty" O'Doul will get his cherished wish, a chance to "pitch good as a pitcher."

Cared for three or four years by the Yankees, with the exception of a year spent in the Coast League, O'Doul has been a bench warmer practically all the time.

This great work on the coast, where he won 25 ball games, caused the Yanks to bring him back to the big show. He was counted on as having finally arrived.

A bad start caused him to be again relegated to the bench. Then came the trade to Boston.

O'Doul is fast and can hit, was used in the outfield a few times by New York. However, he expressed a desire to get a chance to pitch when he deal with Boston was made and he's to get it.

"Pennock will help the Yanks," says Chance, "he is a steady pitcher who should win many games with a strong club like New York."

"I wanted McMillan for third, that is why I permitted Pennock to get away. In addition I am told that O'Doul has a great deal more stuff and only needs a little good food to make good."

He is going to get it. He will either be a star or a fliver at the

end of the season, because he will be much used."

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SETS NEW PACE

MALONE, N. Y., Feb. 19.—Arthur Staf of Chicago, professional ice skating champion, established new world's records for the 100 and 150 yard events at the professional skating meet here today. Staf lowered the 100 yard record from 9.55 seconds to 8.45 seconds. He cut the 150 yard record from 14.45 to 13.55 seconds.

LYNCH MEETS MUSIC

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Joe Lynch, bantamweight champion, has decided to defend his title. He will meet Pete Hiscox in Harrisburg February 26, and will engage Joe Menda in a decision bout in Philadelphia March 5.

WORKERS BUYING UP STOCK IN CAR LINE

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 19.—Employees of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company, the only street car company in the third largest city in the United States, will soon own the

FEAR SUICIDE OF CONVICTED WOMAN

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Attendants kept incessant watch over Mrs. Lilian Rubin, slayer of Abraham Gleckstone, to prevent a possible attempt at suicide today while announcement was made that sentence will not be pronounced until tomorrow.

A jury yesterday brought in a verdict of second-degree murder. Mrs. Rubin is near collapse. The verdict accrued a term of twenty years to life.

ORANGE FIRE INSURANCE RATES ARE REDUCED

ORANGE, Texas, Feb. 19.—Reduction of 15 per cent in the fire insurance rates applying to this city has been made by the state fire insurance commission, according to word reaching here from Austin. The reduction is based upon a record of 1920, 1921 and 1922, the best record in the history of the city, it is said.

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WHO'S NEXT?

LEFT EARFUL
Even the Poorest Running Broad Jumper Is Bound to Make His Mark

RIGHT EARFUL
Strange but True; the More They Win the Race Gets the Oar.

The Port Arthur News Page of Sports

Tilden Shows Form Despite Old Wound

Loses To Youthful Protege In Two Sets, But Displays All Former Tactics In Exhibition; Critics Believe He Will Come Back.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Bill Tilden, the big world's tennis champion, may be lacking a part of an important finger, but none of his old game is missing.

Although he lost a two set match to Vinnie Richards, both 11-9, in his first exhibition here since the operation, the tall champion showed critics yesterday that his game is as good as ever.

Lossing to Richards meant nothing because he has lost to his youthful protégés before and most any one will lose to the youngster when he is as right as he was yesterday. Tilden showed everything that he has ever flashed on a court. His forehand and backhand were as hard and accurate as he ever possessed. He served, chopped and sliced with all the brilliance of form that carried him to the world's championship. In every way he seems to be missing not one bit, the end of that finger.

He does not favor the finger and he goes about every stroke in his repertoire with perfect confidence. The wound still hurts him, he said, but he does not intend to humor it.

Since the operation seems not to have injured Tilden's game it means much to American tennis. With a handicapped or less efficient Tilden the United States would have a bat to retain the Davis cup this summer and without him at all it would be almost impossible if some veteran team like the Australians came through to the challenge round.

STARS PUT IN HARD TRAINING FOR VISITORS

Abbey's Five Prepares For Game Tomorrow Night

BY TAB

With some of the classiest players they have ever had on their lineup, St. Mary's College quintet will arrive here Tuesday to clash with the fast Texaco Stars.

Announcement that the St. Mary's bunch rated as a classy issue this season was made here this morning, and from the locals' camp came the statement at the same time that the Stars will send their strongest line-up into the game against the visitors.

St. Mary's club is heralded as having a pair of forwards that shoot goals with an uncanny accuracy while it is said of their guards that they manage their end of the field in an expert fashion.

The Texaco Stars will practice tonight in Franklin gym, receiving their last training prior to the clash on the same floor Tuesday.

The Stars will probably have Captain Perkins, Willoughby and Pidner in the game tomorrow night, while Best, Earhart and Bogart, all well-known court performers here, will also be seen in action again. Wilbur Abbey, coach of the contingent, had ten of his players out for practice last Thursday evening, and the club showed up in better form than they were rating prior to their initial clash with the Good Gulls.

It is predicted that they will be in good trim for the St. Mary's five.

What is Status of Danforth? Can He Legally Pitch?

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 19.—Dave Danforth will again be a member of the St. Louis pitching staff in the coming campaign, for a time at least.

Dave Danforth is the mystery man of baseball, an enigma to every American League major.

American League umpires credit Danforth with being able to do more tricks with a baseball than Willie Hoppie can do with the ivories.

Last year Danforth was suspended for 10 days on complaint of Umpire "Brie" Owens, who caught Dave doctoring the ball, so it is alleged.

Those incident not only caused Danforth to be suspended, but drove him to the minors. Sent to Tulsa in the Western League, he finished in fine style.

Danforth has been brought back to the big show because the Browns need a southpaw. What will be his fate?

He really has enough stuff to get by on without resorting to trickery, but Dave at times can't see it that way.

Last season the umpires gave him a clean bill of health, but he soon went back to his old ways.

WOULD BAR FROSH

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Proposal to bar freshmen from participation in the inter-collegiate track and field championships will be offered again at the annual meeting of the association next month.

DEFEATS U. S. GIRL

CANNES, Feb. 19.—Mlle. Suzanne Lenigon, world's tennis champion, again won the Cannes tournament championship when she defeated Miss Elizabeth Ryan, American girl, 6-3 and 6-1 in the final round.

PITCHING HORSESHOES VIES WITH GOLF FOR SOUTHERN POPULARITY



LEFT TO RIGHT: GRACE MASON, NELL MARTIN.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 19.—Pitching horseshoes is the latest fad among society's younger set in Atlanta.

Already a number of teams have been formed, and at the Piedmont Driving club, one of the city's most exclusive clubs, matches are held monthly.

Mrs. Grace Mason, daughter of the city attorney, one of the most ardent of the devotees of the latest fad, declares she thinks it much more exciting and interesting than golf, and

RECRUIT MAKES GOOD; BOOSTS YOUNG BROTHER

Chicago White Sox Have a Find in Hurter

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Unquestionably one of the pitching finds of last season in the majors was Ted Blankenship of the Chicago White Sox.

While Blankenship didn't draw many headlines on the sport sheet, and didn't bask in the limelight of a no-hit game as did Robertson, still Bill Gleason regards him as the most promising recruit on the Sox staff.

Blankenship hails from Bonham Texas. That town gave "Reb" Russell to the White Sox. It is said that the same fellow who recommended Russell tipped the Sox off to Blankenship.

No pitcher ever made a more sensational debut than the youngster. Since into a game in which Detroit had a four or five run lead, as a result of knocking out one of the veterans, Blankenship stopped 'em dead. Chicago tied up the game but the recruit twirled was defeated in extra innings.

Near the close of the season See rector Grabner of the White Sox, enthused over the fine work of Blankenship, asked him if he knew of any other pitchers in Texas who might have a chance.

"The only other one I could recommend is my brother, he is a much better pitcher than me."

McCrory Grabner burned on the wire until he had the younger Blankenship signed. That is how the White Sox happen to have the Blankenship son on the pitching staff. Both look like stars of the future.

Golfers in Houston For Tourney Which Lasts Through Week

HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 19.—Golfers from all parts of the southwest were arriving here today for the annual invitation tournament of the Houston country club, which opens tomorrow. Professional golfers, golfers familiar to members of the Texas country club, will tee off Tuesday after which the amateur matches will start. Joe Kirkwood, Australian open champion and trick shot expert, and Walter Hagen, British open champion, will play a 36-hole match next Sunday with George Roten and O. S. Charlton, local golfers.

The sport scribes tournament will be another feature of the week's golf program.

ESTABLISH RECORDS

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 19.—Two more records, one in the singles and another in the doubles, were established today at the International Bowling association's tournament here.

With games of 223, 258 and 216, K. G. Scipio, of Omaha, Neb., took the lead in the singles with 716, a total of 11 pins higher than the previous L. R. A. mark of 705, made by J. B. Dolan of Duluth, Minn., in 1913. Scipio's second game of 278 also is the best single score of the tourney to date.

HEADS OLYMPIC

PARIS, Feb. 19.—Count Clary, president of the French Olympic committee, has been appointed general commissioner by the government in a decree published today for the 1924 Olympic games to be held in France. He will have complete charge of the Olympic organization and its funds.

GENE AND JOCK WIN

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 19.—Gene Sarazen of Pittsburgh, open professional golf champion of the U. S. and Jock Hutchison of Chicago, the first American to win the British open golf championship, defeated Jim and Bill Mackenzie brothers, local professionals, in an exhibition match here today, 6 up.

ORANGE RAISES FUNDS TO FORM BASEBALL TEAM

J. A. Stewart Heads \$6,000 City Organization

Special to The News.

ORANGE, Texas, Feb. 19.—Orange will have a baseball team this season.

That it requires a great deal more skill.

An elimination tournament will be held the first part of the spring, and the five best pitchers will be named as the Atlanta Society Horseshoe Pitchers, and challenges issued to like teams in Birmingham, New Orleans and other southern cities.

The craze originated at the winter resorts in Florida, and Atlanta misses, returning from their annual sojourn in the pleasure haunts of the southern "civics."

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Plans for raising the money will include the effort to sell 200 season tickets for the season of five and a half months at \$10 each; the raising of \$2000 by private subscription and the balance to be taken in by gate receipts.

The success of last year and previous years had the effect of fortifying the fans in the belief that the 1923 aggregation would do the part of satisfying lovers of the national sport.

A wonderful record was achieved by the Orange ball club last year under the guidance of John Stewart, who will be at the helm again this year.

Stark park, where the St. Louis Cardinals of the American National

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